

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 680

January Session, 2015



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by: SEN. KISSEL, 7th Dist.

AN ACT LIMITING THE TAKING OF REAL PROPERTY BY MUNICIPALITIES BY EMINENT DOMAIN.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- That sections 7-148 and 8-193 of the general statutes be amended to
- 2 prohibit a municipality from taking property pursuant to eminent
- 3 domain unless there is clear evidence that the property will be used (1)
- 4 for municipal purposes, or (2) for a project by a public-private
- 5 partnership that will deliver demonstrable positive economic impact.

Statement of Purpose:

To limit the ability of towns to take private property.

LCO No. 2332 1 of 1